

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. PADDOCK, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 11118.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 11118) granting a pension to Ruth McAnnally, widow of Alexander Nasmyth, late second lieutenant in Company B, Forty-seventh Ohio Volunteer Infantry, have examined the same and report:

After examining the evidence in this case the committee find the facts as stated in the House report appended hereto, and adopt it as their own.

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HOUSE REPORT.

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 11118) to place the name of Ruth McAnnally on the pension roll, submit the following report:

The proposed beneficiary was the widow of Alexander H. Nasmyth, late second lieutenant, Company B, Forty-seventh Ohio Volunteers, who died March 12, 1876, of disease contracted during his 3 years' service. She was a pensioner until her remarriage with one Horace McAnnally, who died in 1889. The minor children of the soldier drew pension until they respectively attained the age of 16 years.

Hon. Mr. Williams, of this House, states:

"I personally know her remarriage to Horace McAnnally was unfortunate. He failed in business and in health, and his death has left her without any means of support except her daily labor. She is a lady of good character and raised the children of Lieutenant Nasmyth, who are all girls, to be highly respected young ladies, reasonably well educated, and who aid their mother as much as is in their power."

The case comes within the well-established rules of the House. Therefore your committee report favorably on the accompanying bill and ask that it do pass.